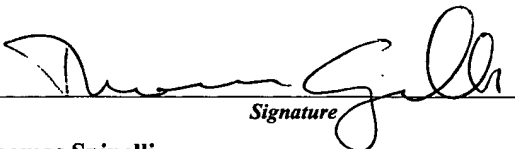
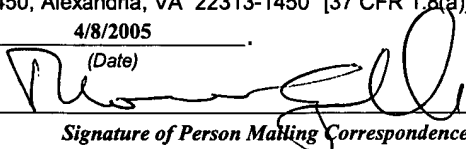


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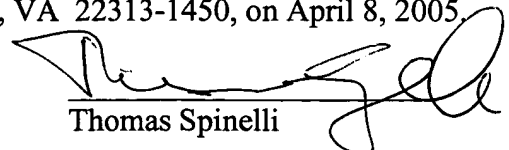
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In response to the Official Action dated September 16, 2004, and supplementing the Response filed on March 8, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in light of the following additional remarks:

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